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## TWO GLEICHEN ARMEN ARE REPORTED MISSING

Thursday word was received in town that two Gleichen men in the Royal Air Force were missing. Mr. E. Walker received word that his son Flying Officer Geo. E. was missing and at the same time word was received that James Plant also was missing. It is thought both men were in the same plane as they were known to operate together.

Geo. Walker was born in Gleichen and left home several years ago for England where he joined the R.A.F. Not long ago he was senior on the radio telling of his experiences. He was listed as the first casualty of the war when he was reported missing last fall. He had met an enemy aircraft and in the ensuing fight had to pull out due to a damaged motor. He was making a landing in France, he turned up in Paris before the war and he and other members of the Air Force were presented to the King's guests at the time. James Plant, who for some time before enlisting with the R.A.F. was instructor at Old San School. Both men were married. James Plant is a Gleichen girl and George Walker to an English girl.

## OTTAWA LETTER

By Dr. F. W. GERSHAU

This week, I tried to make clear to the public that, prior to the war, we were anxious to know just what each could do to effectively help in this crisis. The considered opinion of the department of agriculture is that the war effort does not require farmers to rapidly switch from one product to another. The minister says, "We have been constantly saying and we think it is the proper thing to say, that farmers of Canada can best serve the interests of the Allies by continuing to produce the staple products which they were producing before the war started. These are the products that will be most needed through the war period and we should produce the best products we can." Commodore Jones is senior naval officer of the Royal Canadian Navy. He has 94 vessels in commission and all Canadian shipyards are working to capacity on 90 more. One hundred million dollars will be spent this year on the navy, as compared with four million in 1914. These ships on both coasts, in the Caribbean and in British waters are defending our shipping and our shores. The Commodore is a native of Halifax. He graduated from the Royal Naval College in 1913, and saw service in the last war.

The Ottawa Journal said, on June 25th: "Three men form the spearhead of Canadian air efforts—Minister of Air Power, Minister of Transport, Hon. Acting Deputy Minister of Defence Duncan. They are resourceful able executive men and the country can rely on them confidently to get things done."

Members of parliament are considering the donating of \$1000 each to the war effort. The minister of finance points out that donations should not be earmarked for a specific equipment but should be added to the consolidated revenue fund. He stated that the government comes out the giving would not be voluntary but that every Canadian would be asked for generous contribution by way of taxation. Industry and labor are agreed that no profits will be made out of this war, but that there is certainly no board is driving toward that end.

Power to virtually conscript industry was given by a bill introduced on June 14th. It gives him power to mobilize all industrial strength with respect to munitions war supplies and defense projects. Taxation and services of business men would bring them to Ottawa. He can order delivery of munitions from private industry make industry give priority to war orders specify the time when contracts are to be completed and set prices. The government has had a Service Training Flying School. The estimated cost of the buildings including five hangars officers mess hall, quarters gas storage tanks, garages, etc. will be \$750,000.

The cost of the Aerodrome is estimated to be \$352,280. The typical

requirements are:

1. Main aerodrome: Landing strips—3000 feet by 750 feet. Two hard surface runways for each landing strip—500 feet by 100 feet. Maximum distances between runways 100 feet.
2. Night flying equipment.
3. Relief landing grounds: The requirements are the same except one hard surface runway is required in each landing strip.

A practice bombing range is required, the area being a radius of 500 yards.

## JUNIOR GRAIN CLUB FIELD DAY NEXT WEDNESDAY

An agricultural field day, sponsored by the Gleichen Agricultural Society will be held on Wednesday, July 3rd on the farm of David McLean, six miles north of town.

## PROGRAM FOR THE DAY

11.00 a.m.—Junior Grain Club boys met for instructions relative to their club program.

12.00 noon—Picnic lunch. Each person is asked to bring their own lunch and necessary utensils. Liquid refreshments will be provided.

1.00 p.m.—Program for men and junior boys and girls. Short address by livestock followed by junior livestock judging contests.

1.00 p.m.—Program for ladies, horticulture, poultry.

3.30 p.m.—Joint meeting, insects of field, garden and house plants. Presentation of prizes.

The speaker boys and girls will compete for cash prizes donated by the Agricultural Society for the best livestock judging.

The Agricultural Society is anxious that this field day be well attended and invites all who care to come to attend and enjoy the day.

Federal and provincial department of agriculture officials will assist with the program.

## U. F. W. A. MEETING

Mrs. S. Hall was hostess to the ladies of the U.F.W.A. last Thursday. The meeting was opened by singing two songs after which the roll call was answered by 17 members and two visitors. The minutes and correspondence were then read. The members decided to hold a dance in aid of the Red Cross in the Meadowbrook hall on July 25th. If the date was convenient to the hall committee. It was announced two new members had joined the Red Cross. The demonstration will be held on August 20 and the usual donation will be given to the Youth Congress.

The delegates appointed to attend the Women's Rest Week are Mrs. J. C. Buckley, Mrs. O. Calkins, Mrs. George McLean, Mrs. J. Wilson and Mrs. Hanes as alternate. A bulletin on child welfare was read and proved most interesting. Mrs. McKewen gave a paper on "How good a wife are you," which proved to be most laughable. Mrs. Babbe was accepted as one of the members and after the usual social hour a delicious lunch was served. The next meeting will be one week earlier and will be held at the home of Miss Goodwin's on June 27th.

Sports of all kind in town is dead this summer. There is not even a softball team organized to help put life into the place. And as far as the Red Cross is concerned, the only team who are left have never had a practice.

The report of the death of Douglas McLean, 17, of Bassano Friday, was the cause of sorrow among his friends in Gleichen, especially the Aces hockey club. Douglas was secretary of the Bassano hockey club and had much to do with the arrangement of games with the Aces, consequently he became very well known to the Gleichen boys. Douglas was in a car accident the Sunday previous to his death and suffered neck and chest injury.

The Red Cross wishes to thank Mrs. Harry Scott for the rooster raised at the dance last week when \$12.00 was realized. Mayor Menard held the auction. Mr. Menard didn't know what to do with the critter and being somewhat scared off it auctioned it for \$12.00. The rooster being the highest bidder walked off with the bird.

## THREE ROBBERIES COMMITTED HERE IN ONE WEEK

Monday night or early Tuesday morning Central Garage and Ramsay McCreath Ltd., were broken into and robbed.

At Central Garage entrance was made by breaking a rear window. The dial on the safe was knocked off, which was not necessary as the safe was not locked. A late model car was stolen.

Entrance to Ramsay McCreath store was made by breaking a window in the rear of the store, which is located high up near the ceiling and is protected by iron bars. These bars are some five or six inches apart, however, the robbers slipped through these with apparent ease as they were not disturbed. The safe was opened by knocking off the dial. It is not known how much stuff from the store was stolen.

One night last week robbers broke into the Imperial Oil Co.'s warehouse, owned by R. S. McQueen. The robbery was not discovered until about 11 a.m. the next morning. In a visit to the place known as warehouse. About \$375 worth of oil and \$50 worth of oil was stolen. The robbers followed by junior livestock judging contests.

While the oil was the property of the Imperial Oil Co. it is stated that on the same night in two nearby towns the warehouses of the Imperial Oil Co. also were entered.

## THE WORLD OF WHEAT

By H. G. L. STRANGE  
Director, Research Department  
Searle Grain Company, Limited

Numbers of farmers have this spring sown small plots of some of the new varieties of wheat. Some farmers are wondering, however, how to make the best use of these plots. The most important thing of all to guard against is the presence in the plots of plants of other kinds and varieties.

Professional seed growers take extraordinary precautions to prevent such mixtures taking place knowing that once grain is mixed, there is very little that can be done to purify it.

One good method is to surround each plot with at clear space several feet wide of bare land and to keep this space free from grain for several weeks. Then as soon as the new variety heads out, the plots should be headed out carefully, and undesirable plants such as bad weeds and other varieties of grain should be pulled up by the roots, carried to the end of the field, dried and burned.

Special precautions, too, will have to be taken in harvesting and in threshing these plots, and in later activities this column will tell of the practices usually adopted by the best seed growers to ensure a crop of seed as free as possible from harmful admixtures.

## CALGARY STAMPEDE BIGGER AND BETTER THAN EVER

A most interesting and thrilling presentation of western sports, coupled with a splendid display of Alberta resources, will take place the 55th annual Calgary Exhibition and Stampede to be held July 5 to 13.

The events of the week include a representative display of agricultural implements and high speed livestock, industrial, art photographs and domestic exhibits, dog and poultry shows. The livestock review, a parade of livestock exhibits, will be staged on Friday morning. This feature annually attracts large crowds.

North American and Canadian championship titles are awarded for bucking horse riding, calf roping, steer riding, wild cow riding and wild horse riding wild cow milking, Indian races, and the famous chuck wagon races. Running horse races are to be held.

"Flying Colours," a gorgeous spectacle, will be presented each evening from the grandstand. Following the chuck wagon races, The Indian Camp on exhibition grounds is a great source of interest to visitors.

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## REPORT OF RED CROSS WORK FOR SIX MONTH PERIOD

Each Monday afternoon when the Red Cross members met to work at their headquarters additional ladies turned out to assist. Some thirty were on hand Monday and they made rapid progress in making various articles.

The following is the war work report for the past six months given by Mrs. Dufosse:

- 101 knitted articles.
- 70 articles of hospital sewing.
- 60 articles of refugee clothing, most new or made over.
- 10 quilts.
- 4 used blankets.
- 1080 surgical dressings.

This reaches a grand total of 1,300 articles.

This represents the efforts of the Red Cross workers for the past six months. We possible could have made more sewing but have bought materials very carefully and economically being mindful always of making supplies most urgently needed at the time. We have provided for such work. Power take-off and belt pulley each week more and more women go to the Guide Hall to work and offer donations.

Our chief concern is to make articles most needed by the fighting forces and for hospital supplies after the refugees clothing. It might be said that the latter costs comparatively little as so many splendid donations of old clothes and material of various kinds have been brought in for this purpose.

As our work has extended I have had to try committee helpers to take charge of certain departments of the work as necessity arose.

Mrs. MacCallum is in charge of knitting.

Mrs. Beach, hospital sewing.

Mrs. McQueen and Miss Nora have been in charge of dressmaking.

Mrs. Geo. Evans quilts.

Mrs. Riddell refugee work.

And not to forget the ladies who are ever trying to keep them busy.

My one desire is to have as efficient war committee as possible so that our Red Cross branch will function 100 per cent. I've made mistakes, I've learned a good deal, I feel all the helpful advice you will offer, and with continued co-operation and help I hope we may expand our work in keeping with the increasing demands.

This report is respectfully submitted by your war work convener, L. DAFOE.

## WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES

On the second floor of the Bank of Canada building in Ottawa has been set up a series of mechanical robots which do everything but speak and think.

Installed for the purpose of handling all applications for War Savings Certificates with speed and accuracy, these machines are operated by a specially trained staff of some forty people and can handle up to 10,000 applications, and issue as many certificates, in a single day.

When an application for a War Savings Certificate is received at the bank with a special display of Altair slits open in the usual way by an office boy armed with a blank knife, the envelope is placed in one of the modern machine with a machine. This envelope opener looks something like a bacon slicer and slices through scores of envelopes in the twinkling of an eye.

From this opening machine the application, with its remittance, is passed to a staff of checkers who see to it the amount of your remittance agrees with the sum stated on your application form. The money is then turned over to the teller and the application form to a staff of girls who operate a battery of punching machines.

These machines look like typewriters but they are far more than that. On these cards the girls type the name and address of the registered owner shown on the application form, as well as the number and value of the certificate applied for.

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The cards pass through this machine at the rate of 500 a minute. To do the job by hand would require a staff of several hundred people working with their hands.

When this operation is completed the cards are fed into a sorting machine. This machine can sort the cards as well as the number and value of the certificate, a \$10 certificate or any other one of the five available denominations. The cards are thus segregated,

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## The Park Lane Mystery

By Edgar Wallace

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### CHAPTER VIII.

"Could you please come and  
see me in the house?"  
A.R.

Jim Carlton looked at the "A. R." briefly before he placed "A." as indicating Aileen—was under the impression that she spent her name with an "R." It had been delivered at Scotland Yard by a messenger half an hour before he arrived. Latently he was waiting on the mat when the girl came out, and she seemed especially glad to see him.

"You will probably be very angry that I've sent for you about such a little thing," she said, "and you're so busy—"

"I want tell you how I feel about it," he interrupted, "or you'll think I'm not sincere."

"You see, you are the only person I know, and I don't know you very well, but I thought you wouldn't mind. Mrs. Gibbons has disappeared. She didn't go home last night nor the night before."

"I'm thrilled," he said. "And her husband fears the worst."

"She hasn't a husband," she said. "A widow. Her landlady came in to see me this morning. She's dreadfully upset."

"But who's Mrs. Gibbons?"

"This is where you're going to be very cross with me," she said with a half-smile. "Mrs. Gibbons was the name of the charwoman at uncle's flat. Rather a wretched-looking lady with untidy hair. I'm rather worried about it because she's a woman without friends. I called up uncle's flat this morning and he was almost polite, and told me that she didn't arrive yesterday morning and she hasn't been there to-day."

"She may have met with an accident," he said with a natural suggestion.

"I've telephoned to the best hospitals, but nothing has been heard of her. The workmen told me the same story. I want you to tell me what I can do next. It's such a little matter that I'll listen more to your rude comment you care to think up."

He was not interested in Mrs. Gibbons; the case of a lonely woman who disappears as from the face of the earth was so common a phenomenon in the life of any great city that he could hardly work up any enthusiasm for the search. But Aileen was so concerned that he would have been a brute to treat her request lightly, and after lunch the day being his own, he went to Stannore Rents in Lambeth, a little riverside

slum, and made a few inquiries at first hand.

Mrs. Gibbons had lived there, the slatternly landlady told him, for five years. She was a good, sober, honest woman, never went out, had no friends, and subsisted on a pound a week which was paid to her quarterly by some distant relation. In fact, she was due to receive the money on the following Monday. Her chief virtue was that she paid her rent every Monday morning and gave no trouble.

"Do you mind if I search her room?"

The landlady wished that and showed him the way; it gave her a nice feeling of authority to be present during the operation.

Jim was shown into a small back room, scrupulously clean, with a bed and a sort of home-made hanging cupboard that had been fixed in a corner and was shrouded by a cheap curtain. Here was the meager wardrobe of the missing charwoman; a skirt or two, a light summer coat that had seen its brightest days, and a best hat. He tried the chest of drawers and found one drawer locked.

This he opened with the first key on his bunch, and to his astonishment the landlady. Here was proof of the woman's affluence—a post-office bankbook showing £77 and 10s. credit, four new £1 Treasury notes, and a three-shilling watch bag with a broken chain. Inside this

he found two or three pitiable proofs of the vanity of the eternal feminine: a greasy powder puff, a cheap trinket or two, and between lining and sole cover a folded paper of round soap, which had not got there by accident, he was not given the key to the light, for it was carefully locked into the lining. He took out his pocket knife and, picking the stitches, examined what he thought was a sheet of paper, lightly folded.

When he opened the paper out he found there were two sheets.

The first sheet ducked her head sideways in an effort to catch a glimpse of the writing, but Jim was aware of this maneuver.

"The second sheet goes downstairs," he said politely, "and seeing if you can find in your ashen—"

"What?" corrected the lady.

"I'd better tell you the envelope of any letter addressed to Mrs. Gibbons."

By the time she returned from her professed task the papers had disappeared, and Jim Carlton was sitting on the narrow window seat, looking at the letter which he had discovered between his teeth, and he was examining the threads carpet with such intensity that the landlady was certain that he had discovered some blunders.

"He?" he woke from his dreaming with a start. "You can't read it. I'm sorry. What was it I asked you to do? Oh, yes, an envelope. Thank you, I found it."

"I unlocked the drawer, and with another glance round the apartment came round the treacherous stairs."

"I don't think she's drowned herself, sir?" asked the landlady tremulously.

"Did she ever threaten to commit suicide?"

"She's been pretty miserable for some time, poor dear." The woman came a tear from her cheek and the fascinated Jim observed that the spot where the apron had been rubbed was perceptibly cleaner.

"No, I don't think she has committed suicide," he said. "She may turn up. If she does, you will send me a telegram."

He scribbled his name and address on a blank that he found in his pocket and gave her the money for its dispatch.

"I know there's something wrong," insisted the fearful lady. "Foul play, murder, or something like that. I want to make up in a dress. I've got it in my kitchen—it only came the other day last night."

She showed him the package, which was unopened.

"My uncle was coming in yesterday morning to show her how to cut it out," continued the woman. "But, of course, Mrs. Gibbons didn't come home, and my nice lives over in Peckham, and it's a long drag here."

"Yes, I suppose so," said Jim absently.

He walked down the noisome street, got into the little car that was waiting at the end and went slowly back across Westminster Bridge to his room.

He was not in, and, even if he had been, he was not in the mood for a consultation. He spread out on the table the papers he had taken from Mrs. Gibbons' bag and read them carefully, jotted down a few particulars, and, refolding them, put them in his pocketbook. He passed the next hour in dictating letters to the last people in the world one would have imagined would be interested in the disappearance of a charwoman.

Aileen did not expect to see him

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again that day, and was surprised, almost pleasantly, when he walked into the outer office and sent in his name. He was on the point of leaving, and the office boy, impatient to be gone, misinterpreted the color that came to her cheeks.

"You're getting me a very bad name," Mr. Carlton, she said as they went into the street together.

"Did I tell you that my front name was Jim, or James, as the case may be?" he asked. "Shall we try something more snappy in the restaurant line? I know a place in Soho—"

"No, I think I'll go home now."

"I wanted to talk to you about Mrs. Gibbons," he said significantly. "I was not feeling at all pliant."

"And I have found out your peering, and the office boy, impatient to be gone, misinterpreted the color that came to her cheeks."

"Have you had any news?" she asked, and he guessed by her persistent tone that she had altogether forgotten the existence of the charwoman. At any rate, she did not demur when he handed her into the car and she accepted his restaurant, dingy though it was, without protest.

They were passing from the street when Jim heard his name called and looking round, saw a headquarters man.

"Come through just after you left, sir."

"I'll read the hastily written phone message."

"I'll be back in an hour," he said, and followed the girl who was waiting for him in the vestibule.

When they were seated:

"I want to ask you, was Mrs. Gibbons in the flat that night your uncle's car was burgled?"

She considered.

"No, she wasn't there; at least, she ought to have been there. She came later, you remember. I opened the door to her."

"What, she said, and she smiled. "What does 'she' mean?" and then quickly: "You don't think she was the burglar, do you?"

"No, I don't think that," he said; his tone was very grave—she wondered why. "Tell me something about her; was she well educated?"

Aileen shook her head.

"No, she was rather illiterate. I've had many of her notes, and they were very—very—deplorable. The spelling was—well, very original."

"Oh?" he said again, and she could have boxed his ears.

"Well, that's that," he said at last. "I don't think that even your uncle, with his well-known passion for hunting, was so much of a silent bear. She was just nothing, nobody—a wisp of straw caught up in the wind and deposited God knows where! State your friend the dustman's horror. Horrible, isn't it?"

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"Think of it! All the theatres will soon be crowded and people will be screaming with laughter at the antics and clowning of the comedians! There will be a state ball at the Palace, and tonight happy men and women will be dancing on a hundred floors. Who cares about Mrs. Gibbons?"

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### Car Of The Future

Complete Change On Basic Design Is Predicted

When the horseless carriage streamlined itself into the sleek car of to-day, most of us assumed that at last we were riding in the automobile of the future. But David Beecroft of the aviation industry told the automotive engineers at White Sulphur Springs that we have reached only the end of the trial-and-error method. The car of the future will be the product of research in which every improvement of structure and material is dictated not by public taste but by laboratory test.

Mr. Beecroft predicts a complete change in basic design, a developed from a rear-engine drive and a superstructure which is an integral part of the chassis. Engines in the rear are logical enough and have been tried in several models, without winning much popularity, but this arrangement has never lost its attraction for the engineer. If he can make it work out, so no one else will.

Present improvement is chiefly in the field of material. Cotton and rubber, Mr. Beecroft thinks are on the way out. Two of the future will substitute synthetics for natural latex and rayon for cotton fabrics, though we may need a national reforestation program to do this. Briar-like fuels and better engines will give the new car more speed and maneuverability. Supercharging and synthetic rubber spring systems are just around the corner.

In a word, the car of tomorrow will do almost everything but fly. How to develop a race of super-drivers who know enough to stay on their own side of the road is the chief problem left unsolved—New York Times.

### Lexicon Of War

New Words Colored Since The Beginning Of Hostilities

The British Ministry of Information has added "chatterbox" to the lexicon of war words since the beginning of the last 12 months. A chatterbox discloses military intelligence by talking with unguarded tongue in public places or to persons who might pass secrets to enemy agents.

A parashooter is the word which describes the man who jumps from thousands in England volunteered to meet invaders from the sky.

The word "stunt" is derived from "stuntz" and "stuntz", the machine that went 400 miles an hour in its dive-bombing feat. Dive-bomber itself is a comparatively new word.

Panzer troops, according to Associated Press dispatches, are the "armored" soldiers. Now the word describes all motorized fast-moving units.

These terms have temporary significance and may be as quickly forgotten as were "Jack Johnston" and "minniever" after the last world conflict. But history will always point to "Fifth Column," and a deathless feat of arms will doubtless for all time make "Dunkirk" stand for victory in defeat.

Vancouver Province.

### Great Change In Method

More Mules Than Planes Were Used In The First World War

The New York Post says Department of Commerce figures, soon to be released, reflect the change in warfare from the time of the first world war.

Perhaps headed the A.E.F. In 1918 this government shipped to the Allies \$10,000,000 worth of mules, and more than \$1,000,000 worth of planes. But in the six months war period, from September to February we exported to the Allies, via Canada, only mules—worth \$150— and \$61,200,000 worth of aircraft.

### Some Trees Become Pests

In all the tree planting projects that are being carried out it is well to remember that there are weed trees that are to be avoided. Manitoba maple and Carolina poplar make quicker growth than most other trees and will spread to fence corners and fields where they become pests.

### This Makes News

North Carolina's of Spartanburg, S.C., has a new record for a soldier, but he was thankful to be alive and unharmed otherwise. A bolt from a lightning rod struck the soldier's hands as he sat reading it in his home.

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### Control Sale Of Arms

Ontario Considers Taking Steps In This Connection

The Ontario Government is considering controlling the sale of rifles and shotguns in sports goods shops throughout the province, Attorney-General announced.

The question is being considered in connection with the supplying of firearms to volunteer civil guards.

Mr. Conant said that jurisdiction in connection with the sale and disposition of firearms rests with the Federal Government, but the Ontario Government is considering the whole question of firearms in connection with shops which are selling rifles and shotguns without licenses.

Volunteer civil guards will be supplied with arms by the province.

Mr. Conant said it is contrary to law to sell public policy for any group organization or guard to carry arms except on authority of some competent jurisdiction. There are two jurisdictions. One is the Federal Government and that body can exercise the authority through the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and the militia.

The second jurisdiction is through provincial government. Consequently, Mr. Conant said, the volunteer civil guard—a separate body of the home guards sponsored by the Federal Government—would be armed by authority of the Attorney-General.

### Forced Labor

Czechs Are Rounded Up By German Press Gang Methods

Czechs are being rounded up by "Press Gang" methods and put to work in Germany. Even highly skilled workers and engineers are being forced to work in Germany.

The calling up of these Czechs for the labor corps says a report from Prague, is not done by decree but by the more effective method of a person being taken to a Gestapo man on the street.

Two elderly British ladies walked into a tourist agency in Paris and asked to be conducted tour of the battlements.

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GLEICHEN COMMUNITY HALL

### TOWN OF GLEICHEN

Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of the Tax Recovery Act, 1938, the Town of Gleichen, will offer for sale by public auction, in the Town Office, Gleichen, Alberta, on Thursday, the 1st day of August, 1940, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following parcels of land:

Lot	Block	Plan
All 8 and part 9	8	752N
20-22	8	752N
9-10	9	752N
1-2	10	752N
10-20	11	752N

Each parcel will be offered for sale subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs, and subject to a reserve bid, and to the reservations contained in the existing certificates of title.

Terms, cash, unless otherwise arranged.

Redemption may be effected by the payment of the full amount of arrears of taxes and costs, at any time prior to the sale.

Dated at Gleichen, Alberta, this 5th day of June, 1940.

W. J. RHYTHIAN,  
Secretary-Treasurer.

out of the contraption come certificates in series, each bearing the name of some registered holder, his address and other information. Certificates can be printed by this machine at the rate of 1500 an hour with infallible accuracy.

When the certificate has been prepared for mailing, they proceed to still another machine which folds, inserts and finally seals them in a special window envelope. There will be no frayed tongues in the mailing department handling War Savings Certificates; the machine even lifts the gummed flaps. Because of these

modern mechanical contrivances, the certificates will reach purchasers quickly in sanitary packages, untouched by human hands.

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**CALGARY STAMPEDE**  
On Friday night a dance will be given at the Cowboy hall on Ninth Avenue.

An outstanding feature of the Calgary Stampede is Canada's largest and most spectacular fireworks display on Monday and Saturday nights. Included in Saturday night's programme is a display of gorgeously dressed Indians.

The management announces that this is the first year it has been able to invite tourists to come to Calgary with the assurance that they will thoroughly enjoy the motor trip. From Baby Chief Mountain to Waterton Lakes, Pincher Creek, Macleod, and Calgary; from Spokane to Cranbrook and then via the Banff-Windermere Highway to Banff and Calgary; or via Macleod from Cranbrook, the highways are all paved except short stretches between Cranbrook and Pincher Creek. The highways from Calgary to Edmonton and from Calgary to Banff are all paved and the highways to the mountains, Banff to Lake Louise, Yoho Moraine Lake, Emerald Lake, are beautiful roads to drive on. The Banff-Jasper highway provides additional attraction for tourists who wish to take advantage of this 140 mile drive of unexcelled scenic beauty. The Big Bend highway to be opened June 25, completes the remaining 194 miles of the Trans-Canada highway between Calgary and Vancouver on the Pacific coast, a wonderful drive to be enjoyed for the first time in 1940.

Indications are that a large number of United States tourists will come to the Stampede and at the same time pay a visit to Canada's famous holiday ground, thus having a north while visit and at the same time taking advantage of the favorable exchange rates.

This will be the last Stampede under the management of Mr. E. L. Richardson, who after many successful years as general manager is to retire shortly.

J. Chas. Yule, the present president of the Calgary exhibition has been appointed general manager to succeed Mr. Richardson. Mr. Yule will take over his new duties next term.

### Town & District

Mrs. P. Downey returned Sunday from a short holiday spent in Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Phillips left for Vancouver last week for a short holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd returned Sunday from their holidays. Mr. Loyd is sporting a beautiful tan now.

Dance in P.T. hall, Friday June 28 Admission 25c each. Sponsored by High School Club.

Fred Jones of Seebe spend a few days in town last week. Fred thinks mountain life and mosquitoes just swell.

A dance will be given at the Meadowbrook hall on Thursday July 4, with Happy Watts orchestra in attendance.

Mrs. McIntyre has returned from visit to relatives in Saskatoon. She motored to the eastern city with her sister and husband who were here for a few days from Toronto.

The Red Cross will operate a hot dog stand on Saturday night next to the McKay Hardware.

Saturday night the local boys band augmented by the Strathmore band, marched and played on the streets for an hour or more. Forty bandmen were in the lineup and they made quite an imposing sight. The band will be in the Stampede parade in Calgary when the fair opens on July 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson of Olds spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mel Short. It is three years since Carl moved to Olds and he says Gleichen looks just the same as when he left. Not so the towns in the north; they are disappearing. Evidently Gleichen is in a rut unutterably deep.

Hugh Wilson has entered the chuck wagon race at the Calgary Stampede. Hugh has now got a splendid outfit and has purchased four race horses which he is busy training every day. For outsiders he expects to recruit a number of Indians.

Denny Woods, Leith Gilbert and Wilbert Nicholas, who are with the R.C.A.P. at Toronto, wish to thank their many Gleichen friends for the kindness shown them on their departure for the east. In a letter from Denny he states there were several parcels without names, and the boys the parcels. The boys were highly pleased with the big bunch of smokes which lasted them until pay day.

Under the provisions of the order in council No. 2483, amendments to the defence of Canada regulations, require all persons of Italian and German racial origin who have become British subjects since September 1st, 1929, to register and report monthly and to turn in all firearms, ammunition, dynamite, gun powder, and other dangerous explosive in the nearest Royal Canadian mounted police detachment before June 20, 1940.

### UNITED CHURCH

Rev. J. N. Wilkinson, minister.  
Miss Marjorie Birch, pianist.  
11 a.m. Church school.  
7:30 p.m. Divine worship. Sermon topic: "Our Canadian Heritage. Do we appreciate it?"  
This will be Mr. Wilkinson's last service here after which he will leave to take supply work at Devinton.

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